



California State Fire Training

INTERIM SFT PROCEDURES



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Procedure Title: RESCUE SYSTEMS 3: Structural Collapse Technician

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Section Change: RESCUE SYSTEMS 3 FSTEP INSTRUCTOR REGISTRATION

(A) Must meet all SFT instructor FSTEP requirements.

(B) See attached Primary and Senior Instructor Qualifications and Responsibilities

Application Process:

1. Fill out an instructor application and write-in RS-3 across the top of the application.
2. Complete instructor requirements and task books found detailed in attached pages.

Justification:

On July 22, 2011 the Statewide Training and Education Advisory Committee (STEAC) approved in concept the 24-hour Rescue Systems Structural Collapse Technician Bridge course. The Cadre provided the Course Plan and instructor requirements to STEAC at the April 20, 2012 meeting. Then at the October 19, 2012 STEAC meeting the cadre requested approval for a name change to Rescue Systems 3 to avoid confusion with the FEMA training program.

The Rescue Systems Structural Collapse Technician course bridges the training gap between the California State Fire Training Rescue Systems 2 Advanced Rescue Skills course and the Federal Emergency Management Agency Structural Collapse Technician course.

The current SFT Procedure Manual dated May 2008 and the Course Information and Required Materials Manual do not include this new course. This Interim Procedure is intended to provide clarity to people who wish to participate in this new training opportunity until the Procedures Manual and Course Information and Required Materials Manual are updated.

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